

# STATE OF NEW YORK

## LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY

**BUFFALO, N.Y., APRIL 16TH, 2015 A.D.**

**I HEREBY CERTIFY**, *That at a regular session of the Legislature of Erie County, held in the County Hall, in the City of Buffalo, on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2015 A.D., a resolution was adopted, of which the following is a true copy:*

**WHEREAS**, *John White is a lifelong resident of the City of Tonawanda, the husband of Kathleen, father of Randy and Cheri and proud grandfather of Kylee, Carson and Elijah; and*

**WHEREAS**, *John White graduated from Tonawanda High School in 1975, and attended the University of New York at Buffalo; and*

**WHEREAS**, *John White has been the president and owner of Whites Turf Crew for the past 20 years, and is the past president of the New York State Lawn Care Association; and*

**WHEREAS**, *John White has twice been president of the Exchange Club of the Tonawandas and chairs and runs the Camp Spirit Cookout for over 100 kids yearly; and*

**WHEREAS**, *John White founded Rocking with Santa, Y-Not (Youth Night On the Town), and co-founder of Free Kids Fishing Derby – Tonawanda; and*

**WHEREAS**, *John White is on the Board of Directors for the Gateway Harbor, Inc., is on the Board of Directors of the Boys and Girls Clubs Franklin Club, and is on the City of Tonawanda School Foundation Committee; and*

**WHEREAS**, *John White has coached youth Football and Baseball, and served as president of the Tonawanda American Little League; and*

**WHEREAS**, *John White was the 2009 YWCA of the Tonawanda "Man of the Year", was the Chamber of Commerce Citizen of the Year in 2010 and received the Community Service award by the YWCA of the Tonawandas in 2014.*

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT**

**RESOLVED**, *the Erie County Legislature the Erie County Legislature pauses in its deliberations to recognize and acknowledge the outstanding achievement of John White, and honors him as the Citizen of the Month for the month of April, 2015, and for his dedication to the community of the Tonawandas.*

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**Kevin R. Hardwick**  
**Erie County Legislator – 4<sup>th</sup> District**

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**Karen M. McCarthy**  
**Clerk of the Legislature of Erie County**